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Applicant(s): Baker

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Invention: ERGONOMIC HANDLES, ESPECIALLY FOR GARDEN TOOLS

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- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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For: ERGONOMIC HANDLES, ESPECIALLY FOR GARDEN TOOLS

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 16, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application as follows: